

4 JAN 1785
JACOB GRIMM
BORN

1785

1912 Dates J-BK

Treaty of Algiers
U.S. with Algiers

Annual tribute paid
totaling \$1,000,000

1785

First Crossing of the English
Channel by flight
The balloonists, Jean-Pierre
Blanchard & his American
backer, Dr. John Jeffries sat
in a car slung beneath
the giant hydrogen-filled
balloon. The launch from
the cliffs of Dover went without

mashop, but six mi. off the French Coast, the craft began to lose altitude.

The aeronauts lost their equipment & finally most of their clothes.

The happy pair landed in a forest 12 mi. inside land, clad only in their underwear.

1785 ± 5

Daylight Savings Time was originally Ben Franklin's brainchild
but Louis XVI filed the idea & forgot
150 yrs later DST became accepted

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(1752-1816) Gouverneur MORRIS

Born at Morrisania, N.Y. Admitted
to the bar 1771. Member of Continental
Congress (1777- 1780). Superintendent
of Finance (1781 - 1783); outlined present
system of Coinage. Minister to
France (1792 - 1794). United
States Senator (1800-1803)

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Russia

Ermolov is now in disgrace
MAMONOV now the favorite

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(1707-1788)

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George Louis Leclerc
comte de Buffon

"natural History" 44 vols (1749-1804)
in 44 volumes

"Discours sur le style"
(1707-1788)

1753 Reception into French Academy
Discours sur le style

c 1785

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1723-1790

Adam Smith

Scottish Economist

Economist

Inquiry into Nature & Causes
of the Wealth of Nations
published 1776

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Philadelphia quoted
Franklin with adulation
and honors.

During next 5 yrs
his gout & bladder stones
got worse & opium failed
to kill the agony

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Hastings was recalled
1788 - impeached
1795 - Acquited.

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Canada

St. John, N. B. was
incorporated as a city

New Brunswick was made
a separate province.

23 MAY 1785

BIFOCALS
INVENTED

Apr 26, 1785

John James Audubon was born

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Germany

Joseph's attempted reforms were revolutionary and stirred up much opposition; the League of German Princes.